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Have
Gasoline Stoves and Ovens
And
Coal Oil Stoves
Labor savers for the summer

THE STRATHMORE HARDWARE AND BOWVALE

Strathmore Hardware Coy.
Have
JAP-A-LAC
And
Paints—Stains and
Varnishes
Of all kinds
Just the thing for Spring
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THE NEW STORE WITH THE NEW GOODS

White & May Co., Ltd.

NEW STORE. NEW GOODS. NEW PRICES.

If you cannot come, use phone No. 28 or write for samples, or quotations—comparisons are odious but useful.

WHITE MAY BRING PRICES LOW WHERE 'ERE THEY GO

Always something new for you to see. Seeing is free. Come and see. We want you to feel that you are at perfect liberty to inspect our goods and under no obligation to buy unless you desire.



NEW BUSINESS IS COMING EVERY DAY

New Goods opened every day, myriads of new things this week.

New underwear, Hose, Supporters, All over lace, Frillings, Veilings, Little boys collars, Dutch collars, Lace stock collars, Turnovers, Beaded belts, Velvet belts, Byron collars, Linen ties, String ties, New fancy linen collars. The values will surprise you.



New corsets of latest style. P. C. and Crompton lines at many prices and various styles.

Ask to see the low bust New Model style 263 and Directoire French style 115.

Children's waists 25c. Hygienic waists 50c.

New Lawn Laces and Print Waists \$1.00 to \$5.00 each. New Styles.

CARPET RUGS, ENDS OF CARPETS, OILCLOTHS AND LINOLEUMS

All new goods at better prices than heretofore.

New table linens by piece or sets to match, linen for drawing, Fancy Huckes, towels and Towelings. New in price as you like it.

An immense variety of Prints and Ginghams, from 12 yards for \$1.00 to the finest imports at 25c.

BARGAINS IN OUR MEN'S STORE

6 Dozen Pair Men's Finest 50c Cashmere Hose, Special 35c or 3 pair for \$1.00.

New Neckwear from 15c to 50c.

W. G. & R. Shirts and Collars, new styles, at right prices.

Boys School suits at right prices. \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00

Good Serviceable makes

Odd Knickers, 60c, 75c, \$1.00

Men's Stifel Blue stripe overalls with heavy detachable, braces \$1.25 per pair. President suspenders, 50c per pair.

TRY A PAIR OF SLATER SHOES

Just for good wear quality and style considered. The values will please you.

OUR PURE FOOD DEPARTMENT

Is turning over the goods that keeps our customers healthy and happy. New Fruits and Vegetables. Old Cheese that nips. Coffee and Spice and all that nice. The highest grade and lowest price.

Special delivery to all parts of the town

COME AND MEET YOUR FRIENDS
At Strathmore's leading one price store

THE White & May Co., Ltd.

DIRECT IMPORTERS BUT ONLY ONE PRICE

STRATHMORE BARBER SHOP
"The Old Reliable"

I am head and shoulders above any territorial artist. Call and try my celebrated head rub if you want a fine head of hair.

FRANK SEALES
HAIR SPECIALIST

EASTLAKE DAIRY

Not HOW MUCH MILK we can give for a Dollar, but HOW GOOD

BOTTLED MILK
Quart Tickets 10 for \$1.00
D. F. BOISSEvain & SON
P.O. BOX 31

FOR DAIRY CATTLE DRY PINE FIREWOOD AND FENCING MATERIAL SEE

GEO. E. DELVESCO.

ORDERS TAKEN AT W. G. BRIVETT'S OFFICE



LOCAL JOTTINGS

The marriage took place on Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. Boles, of Chas. Fulton, of High River, to Miss Ethel Sweet, of the same place. The newly married lady is a sister of Mrs. Wolfgang, Strathmore. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. Kaunitz.

Mr. H. R. Kinn, of the Ikley Dairy, is at present having a silo put up so that feed can be stored away for the winter. The silo idea is one that is meeting with great favor throughout Western Canada. It costs less to feed the animals in this way, than feeding them on dry feed, and at the same time the cows give a larger amount of milk on the silo. The silo will be large enough to feed 20 cows.

Mr. W. S. Bush, Contractor, Strathmore, has secured several large contracts from the C.P.R. which will keep him busy for the remainder of 1911. He will build stations at the following places: Kilduff, Hays, Haysfield, Burdette, and Tompkins. He also has the contract to construct a set of alterations to a station at Brooks. Mr. Bush started out this week for the Brooks job. Mr. Turnbull, Strathmore, is going to do the team work for him, and several horses have been shipped down to Brooks.

FARMERS—Sell your butter and eggs to the Star Restaurant Strathmore. Cash paid. Best prices given.

Among visitors from the U.S.A. this week were Mr. and Mrs. John O'Connor, Spokane, Wash., and Mr. J. C. Spencer, of Troy, Idaho.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Newell, Nightingale Colony, on Saturday, a son.

Wm. Risdon was fined \$8 and costs by Justice Lambert, on a charge of having set fire to a piece of land without having his registered wide enough and not having the required number of men on hand in case the fire was spreading.

As a case occurred last week of one of our advertisers bringing in a change of advertisement, which he wanted to go into the following day's issue, and as he expressed himself publicly as being sore because the ad was not changed, we would state, as we have done several times in the past, that we cannot guarantee to change ads if the change of copy is not received at least by 12 noon on Thursday, or earlier if possible. There are only 24 hours in each day, and only 9 in each working day, and though we were working to 11 p.m. every night last week we could not cope with the amount of business, let alone changing an ad on half a day's notice. *Perk up.*

For some time past a contest has been taking place between the pupils in the Methodist Sunday School, under the name of the Blue and Pink and Grays. As a sequel a very pleasant concert was held on Friday evening, the following taking part:

Violin, Solo—Mrs. Slade
Song—Miss Paula Paul and L. Cheve
Recitation—Miss Pearl McCann
Solo—Mr. Matkin
Reading—Miss Dorothy Post
Recitation—Miss Bremer
Japanese love song—Miss Desch
Recitation—Miss Alice Inlay
Mr. Higginbottom gave his talk on lepers, as seen by his brother in the East, after which ice cream and cake were served to a large and appreciative audience. An offering taken for the relief of lepers netted \$11.50.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our dear friends and neighbors for their kindness and assistance during the sad death of our dear little grandson, and also for the beautiful flowers.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rankard and Family

A surprise party of neighbors to welcome back to the Hillocks Mr. and Mrs. Healy assembled there last Sunday afternoon, including the Misses P. S. Anderson, (from Oregon), Mr. A. W. Barnes (New York), the Misses Elliott (Hawick, Scotland), Mrs. Elliott, Strathmore, and Master Elliott, Mrs. Griffith, English Colony, Mr. Penulty (New York, England), Mr. Rountree, and Miss Gates (Cumberland, England), Mr. J. Anderson (South Dakota). The proceedings were delightfully informal. Mr. Penulty entertained the company in a manner suitable to the day, and Mr. and Mrs. Healy, as genuine host and hostess, served tea and cakes. A young lady amateur photographer from Calgary kodaked the group drawn originally from so many countries to our once lonely prairie, and all now united as Canadian citizens.

As will be seen from our advertising columns, Messrs. Geo. E. Deives and Co. are selling a large number of olive logs at an exceptionally low figure.

Board of Trade meeting Tuesday

There seems to be a big amount of dissatisfaction with regard to the best contracts, and the majority of the farmers in Strathmore, Claresholm, and High River district have refused to sign them in their present form, which has several stipulations not mentioned when the contract was under discussion at Strathmore Farmers Union.

The Strathmore Brass Band is still practising nightly, and are making good progress. Within a few weeks they should be in a position to make a public appearance.

The partnership of Messrs. Downie & Salmon is now dissolved for the reason given in our last issue, namely, the death of Mr. Downie's father, which occurred in Scotland about a couple of weeks ago. Both Mr. Downie and Mr. Salmon are progressive young business men whom we will be sorry to lose in the town. Mr. Salmon was secretary of the Board of Trade, and a member of the local band, while Mr. Downie is also prominently identified with various local bodies. The business is now on the market. It is probable that Mr. Salmon will go to Ails as manager to a grocery business there.

Strathmore Oddfellows wish, through the columns of this paper, to convey their thanks to Rev. Mr. Mitten for preaching the annual sermon to the brethren last Sunday. This it may be added is the first sermon to be preached to any fraternal society in Strathmore.

A very pleasant new England supper was held on behalf of the organ fund of Strathmore Presbyterian Church by the ladies of that church on Friday evening last. There was a large attendance, and everything passed off exceedingly well. A respectable amount was realized for the organ fund.

A meeting of Strathmore Amateur Dramatic Society will be held in the Fire Hall on Monday, May 8th, at 8 p.m. All members and intending members are requested to be present. Parts will be allotted for the first production and it is essential that all who are desirous of making this Society a success should be present. The constitution and by-laws will be put before the meeting and anyone who has any suggestions to make will be welcome.

Quite a number of motorcars can be seen around town these days. Mr. Jake Haukins recently purchased one, and also Mr. Paul J. Harrison, of Maple Leaf Hotel, who has purchased the car formerly owned by Mr. N. S. Hayes. Professor Elliott has also been given an automobile for his use by the C.P.R. In addition to these there is not a day passes now but there are several cars in town with visitors, while there are several cars owned by the C.P. Irrigation and distributing department headquarters here.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

We have just placed in stock a nice selection of Musical Instruments, consisting of Guitars, Mandolins, Violins, Harmonicas, Etc.

Strings and all repairs for musical instruments kept in stock.

Our April Edison Records are now in stock.

W. E. CUMMING, JEWELLER
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES

FURNITURE DEPARTMENT

Which is now Complete in Every Line

LOW PRICES AND HIGH QUALITY

SPECIAL LINE OF PAINT \$2.00 PER IMPERIAL GALLON

White Building Paper .85
Tarred " " 1.00

W. E. BROWN

Hardware and Furniture
STRATHMORE - ALTA.

DO YOU LIKE OUR BREAD AND CAKES?

If so we would like to sell you a sack of the

Flour

From which they are made. The Brands are **ROBINHOOD and KEYNOTE**

We will sell the former Brand at \$3.30 per 98 lbs. and the later brand at \$3.00 per 98 lb. sacks only

NOTE
The above offer is good only to our customers and the prices are subject to change with the market.

MARTIN & EVANS
MODEL BAKERY, Next Union Bank

Satisfaction

This is what you get by buying from

The

RIVERSIDE LUMBER CO., Limited

STRATHMORE, ALBERTA
W. S. GLADWIN, Manager

We can supply you with everything in the building line

THE CHURCHES

EPHYRAIAN CHURCH
—STRATHMORE.
Services morning and evening alternately in Church on 2nd Street Sunday School meets every Sunday at 12 noon. Supp., Professor Elliott.
REV. J. RANNIE, Pastor.

CATHOLIC CHURCH
—STRATHMORE DISTRICT.
HOLY MASS will be celebrated on Sunday at 10.30 a.m. in the following places:

FIRST SUNDAY of the month—
At Shepherd, Mr. Money's residence.
SECOND SUNDAY—
At Langdon, Mr. J. H. B. Hall's farm south of C.P.R. Depot.
THIRD SUNDAY—
At Chadville, in the School House.
FOURTH AND FIFTH SUNDAYS—
At Strathmore.

ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGEL
CHURCH OF ENGLAND OR EPISCOPAL
—STRATHMORE.

Services morning and evening alternately every Sunday in St. Michael's Church, First Street, at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

METHODIST CHURCH
—STRATHMORE DISTRICT.
Services held in Lloyd's Hall pen south of new Church.
Services 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. each Sunday.
Sunday School at 12 noon.
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m., Prayer Meeting.
Choir practice after prayer meeting.
ORANGE VALLEY.
At 7 p.m. each Sunday.
M'LEARY'S.
At 3 p.m. every other Sunday.
T. A. Wilson, Ph.D., Pastor.

BOOTS & SHOES

Why get wet feet when you can have your boots and shoes repaired at

J. W. JOHNSON
Next to the Frost & Wood and Cocksfoot Implement warehouse
ALL KINDS OF SHOE REPAIRING IN STOCK FOR SALE

FOR GOOD MEALS GO TO

GILLIES' RESTAURANT
FIRST STREET
—STRATHMORE

J. M. GILLIES
Proprietor.

Pioneer Meat Market

—STRATHMORE.



FRESH AND CURED MEATS OF ALL KINDS.
FISH AND GAME IN SEASON.
HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR HIDE.
BUTTER AND EGGS BOUGHT AND SOLD.

ALL GOODS Sold at the **PIONEER MARKET** are of the Finest Quality and Guaranteed Fresh.
GIVE US A TRIAL. Come Once and You will come Always.

R. M'CANN & SON
Proprietors.

Read the many advertisements in the Standard this week and be convinced that you can buy as cheap here as at mail order houses.

RAW L. S.

Castor Oil Comes as Pretty Little Brown and Black Beans.
Upon going into a pharmacy and looking over the mysterious jars and bottles and boxes that line the shelves did you ever wonder where on earth all of the drugs come from and how they appeared before they were ground up and made into oint or dried or pulverized or crystallized into queer shaped lumps? Each jar and box seems to hide some secret which you immediately become curious to solve. How many different kinds do they represent, and, after they have been taken that hold them now, what are they made of?

Who, for example, would connect a great pile of dry, thin twigs, neatly tied into small bundles, with castor oil? These twigs are the creeping roots and rootlets of a prickly shrub that grows in Jamaica, and they are worth from 10 to 50 cents a pound. Somewhat similar in appearance to pecan shells, which also come to us in dry twigs, these are part of the trailing root of a plant found in the damp forests of Brazil.

These roots receive no preparation save drying before they are shipped off to the United States. They are packed in large sacks, and the workmen who open the bales must beware of breathing the pungent, irritating dust driven off, which is productive of unpleasant results if inauspiciously inhaled.

Castor oil, too, is hard to recognize in the pretty little brown beans, spotted with black and with polished skins that arrive in bags from India. They look far too attractive to suggest the much hated dose of our early days. Alas, the base of many nauseous medicines, may be seen in its crude form as a solid mass resembling brown wax, from which it is clipped out in flakes with a chisel and hammer.

It is of different qualities and prices according to whether it comes from Amazonia or the West Indies, and may bring any sum from \$4 to 10 per hundredweight. Alas is the juice of the big leafy leaves of the plant of that name. This juice is pressed or evaporated from the leaves and poured into chests or bags in a semifluid state, lacking transparency, and is enclosed in the dry skins of monkeys and in the strange form brought to market.

One of the most interesting drugs is opium, both on account of its awful potency and by reason of its great value. A case of opium, about 225 pounds, is worth \$400 roughly. The case is of rough don't lined with tin and contains a number of soft, dark lumps, like large handfuls of dough packed very closely together in a quantity of dry, chafy seeds.

The opium which reaches America is of two qualities, one for medicine, the other for smoking, and comes from Persia and Asia Minor, China and India.—St. Louis Republic.

MONEY OF THE RICH.

Of More Use Fully than Spent Than Hoarded or Lying Idle.
A great reservoir of water undistributed leaves men and women to perils of thirst and growing crops to parch and die. So also the millions of dollars of stagnant money leave men and women to perils in aspect poverty and ripened crops to rot within the fields and orchards that grew them. Therefore what happens to the dollars and the millions is a question of the first importance.

Those of us who believe in praying for material blessings will do well to pray long and earnestly that rich men will never cease to buy \$100 hats and \$1500 gowns with diamonds and other jewels to match; that they will continue to give balls and teas and entertainments of the most expensive kind; that they will be recklessly extravagant to give us and foldens of every description, because it will be good for us who depend upon as income drawn from the multitude of operations involved in production, merchandising and transporting all these gewgaws and other gimcracks that go to keep extravagance at a high pitch. Let us hope that rich men's sons will continue to spend their fathers' money as foolishly as they are reputed to do—not because it will be good for them, but because it will be good to have the money poured into the wage earner's money channels.

Let us doubly hope that the rich men may be prosperous in their money getting, because they will not let it lie idle. Whatever their wives and children do not spend they put into stocks and bonds and thereby turn it into the wage earner's money channels. Let us be thankful, too, that neither the dollars of the rich nor the dollars of the poor are of any value save as they go into the wage channels of active circulation.—F. W. Himes in Harper's Weekly.

His Shrewd Idea.
"Who is that poor looking girl with the heavy underjaw?"
"That is the only daughter of old Mr. Myrman."

"And who is the dainty bit of sweetening with the blue eyes and golden hair?"

"That's the chaparran."
"What's the explanation?"
"Why, it's old Mr. Myrman's clever Mrs. He thinks his Jane will be perfect as long as Miss Himes is around."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Easy.
"What can a doctor do when he gets a patient who neither drinks nor smokes?"
"Tell him to stop eating certain things. Everybody says"—Lauriat Courier-Journal.

COAL! COAL!!

H. A. MICHAELIS begs to inform the public that he has taken over the Coal Business of J. W. Waddy, and is now ready to deliver on Shortest Notice. Will also handle

FIREWOOD.



WE HAVE

Every new style, suit or overcoat, on our fashion plates, and over 1000 samples to choose from prices \$18.00 up \$36.00 made to measure and guaranteed to fit.

A man with one of our suits that does not fit him is no advertisement to us supposing he is satisfied, himself, others can see the misfit. A tailoring department in connection with our business.

A GREAT BIG STOCK OF MEN'S AND BOYS SUITS, OVER COATS AND PANTS

Some nice new lines of fine dress shirts. Also a nice lot of men's work shirts, Kakhi, Black, Blue, Grey, and numerous patterns, 75c to \$2.00. A dainty \$1.00 shirt that will wash and wear. Don't forget our Boots and Shoes.

MEN'S OUTFITTER

THOS. E. WRIGHT

Clothes Cleaned and Pressed

Men's Wear & men's wear only

Some Facts About Lard that you ought to know

Do you know that lard which is steam rendered holds a certain amount of moisture which is extremely detrimental? And do you know that this is the kind put up by most packing houses? As our lard is kettle rendered under modern conditions it is far better than the steam rendered and we guarantee it to be as clean and pure as lard can possibly be made. Isn't that worth considering? And further—as we save middlemen's profits by selling direct to you, we are in a position to give you this lard cheaper than can be purchased elsewhere. Note the prices.

3 LB. PAIL	\$.55
5 LB. PAIL	\$.90
10 LB. PAIL	\$ 1.80

STRATHMORE MEAT MARKET AND PACKING CO.

O. F. BREMER

G. T. SWERTFEGER

\$50.00 REWARD

This will be awarded to the party giving the necessary information as to the whereabouts of our Parrot, which disappeared lately. When last seen it was on the balcony of the King Edward Hotel, informing those intending to build that

We carry the Best Stocks and give the Best Terms

of any Lumber Co. from coast to coast.

Any information regarding the above will be gladly received at our office.

CROWN LUMBER CO., LTD.

—STRATHMORE

Head Office: Exchange Buildings, Calgary.

STILL GROWING MERIT TELLS

WHEN REQUIRING ANYTHING IN THE HOUSE DECORATING LINE, CONSULT THE MEN WHOSE WORK IS PRONOUNCED O. K. BY ALL.

LUCK AND WOOD

THE EXPERTS

Specialists in Signwriting

OFFICE & STORE P.O. BOX

ON MAIN AVE. 304

HUNGRY, WHAT!

You ought to go to the

STAR RESTAURANT

and get SAM BALE to give

you a

GOOD SQUARE MEAL

You're sure to get one

there

For a cooler take Rachon's

Ice Cream. Sold here, also

soft drinks of all kinds

at

STAR RESTAURANT

BALE "NEPTUNE"

PROPRIETORS

Live Stock Insurance

Life Insurance

RECIPROCITY

IS now the chief topic of the enterprising Nations, but what should interest the enterprising Business Men and Farmers are some of the bargains we have to offer in Real Estate in this enterprising town and vicinity

Hardware Store

On Main Street doing fine business. Must be sold soon, owner having interests elsewhere that require his attention. It will pay to investigate this

Ready-Made Farms

a specialty. We have several good ones close in that we consider bargains. From 80 to 160 acres each, very well improved. We are always pleased to furnish particulars.

Town Property

is going to be a good investment this Spring. Business and residential lots in all parts of the town. We have several handsome dwellings at prices that will surprise you.

INFORMATION CHEERFULLY FURNISHED

Paul J. Harrison

Fire Insurance a Specialty

FARM LOANS

The Woman's Shop

MILLINERY DRESSMAKING

We have been in business only two weeks, but results have far surpassed our expectations. Our millinery department has been rushed to such a degree that we have been compelled to wire for more material. A rest room is under way for our patrons which we hope will prove a great convenience on their trips to town. New goods arriving and awaiting your inspection.

LADIES AND CHILDRENS WEAR.

NOTIONS

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